

DARALYN MCCOLL

PROFESSIONAL SUMMARY

Passionate Teacher with experience developing and implementing diverse curriculums covering wide range of subjects. Highly skilled at motivating students through positive encouragement and reinforcement of concepts via interactive classroom instruction and observation. Successful in helping students develop strong literacy, numeracy, social and learning skills.

Known for creating dynamic and relevant lesson plans with goal-oriented mindset and commitment to long-term student growth and success.

WORK HISTORY

Artist /Owner/Teacher Leader, 09/2010 - Current

MinorBrushes Studio , Gorham, Maine


- Teaching fundamental art techniques through creation of individual art pieces based on student interests.
- Providing Private Art Sessions
- Mentored junior artists on creative processes
- Contributed to creative process through original ideas and inspiration
- Researched drawings of characters and environmental elements for inspiration
- Created custom drawings and paintings using fine oils, acrylics and charcoal on high quality canvas
- Taught color theory and lighting techniques assisting student drawings and illustrations to add excitement, focus and depth

Alternative Education Program Ed Tech III , 08/2017 - 01/2022

Village Elementary , Gorham, Maine

- Positive Behavior Interventions (CITI 4 years) (interviews, observations and strategy implementation through teaching and collaboration of others.
- Designed and implemented Authentic Learning Units, Project Based Learning Units and Service Learning Units
- Researched Benefits of Alternative Education and Students and applied Maine State standards to all alternative education programming learning opportunities
- Maintain data on student successes, assessments and observations.
- Support enrichment learning opportunities in visual and performing

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SKILLS

- Classroom management
- Student-centered learning
- Group learning mechanics
- Inquiry-based learning
- Differentiated instruction
- Lesson Planning
- Experiential learning
- Elementary education
- Curriculum Development
- Student engagement
- Fundraising

arts, math, music, language arts, social studies, and science through collaboration with teachers, specialists and administration.

- Art Integration with general education classroom units of study allowing students to utilize their strengths for understanding
- Member of Village Elementary Leadership Team
- Sought, applied for and received grants per year for Alternative Education Learning Opportunities
- Facilitator of Student-Led school newspaper, Village Times
- Assist students with writing, interviews, videos, and inspirational student stories
- Maintain School's social media present with school activities and events

Gifted and Talented Ed Tech III, 08/2014 - 06/2017

Gorham School Department, Gorham, Maine

- Meet with students in four of five schools in Gorham School District K-8th grade offering gifted and talented resources and support
- Offering enrichment learning opportunities in visual and performing arts, math, language arts, social studies, and science.
- Authentic Learning Projects include learning design software, coding, illustration, and enrichment art projects
- Art Integration with general education classroom units of study
- Planning, implementing and collaborating to host Celebration of Creativity Show for Sketchbook project including students from Elementary, middle and high schools within Gorham School District.
- Developed and implemented performance improvement strategies and plans to promote continuous improvement
- Maintained energy and enthusiasm in fast-paced environment
- Carried out day-day-day duties accurately and efficiently
- Led projects and analyzed data to identify opportunities for improvement

EDUCATION

Master of Science, Teacher Leadership, 08/2021

University of Southern Maine - Portland, Maine 04103

No Degree, K-12 Art Education , 12/2017

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Bachelor of Arts, Design And Visual Communications, 03/1995

Auburn University - Auburn, AL